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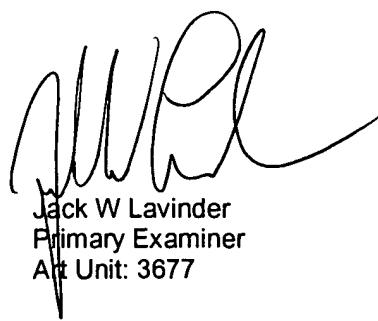
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1. The reply filed on 7/22/05 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the listing of the claims is incorrect. Claim 25 should be shown as canceled and claim 26 should be shown with a status identifier label of currently amended. See 37 CFR 1.111.
2. This is a second notice of non-compliant amendment directed to the identical problems set out in the first notice of non-compliant amendment letter. No new time period is being set. Applicant's time to respond to the first notice of non-compliant amendment is still running. As of the mailing of this letter, the response is currently in the first month extension period. EXTENSIONS OF THE PREVIOUSLY SET TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jack W. Lavinder whose telephone number is 571-272-7119. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Friday, 9-4:00pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Judy Swann can be reached on 571-272-7075. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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